Amendments to the Claims

- (original) A method, including: generating a request for a set of information from a network; identifying a static portion and a dynamic portion included in said set of information:
 - caching said static portion in a memory that is logically local to a client that performed said step of generating;
 - serving said static portion from said memory; and serving said dynamic portion from said network.
- (original) A method as in claim 1, wherein said request includes a request for a web page, a request for information from a database, a request for streaming media or a request for email.
- (original) A method as in claim 1, wherein said request is performed by a request-generating element relatively local to said client, wherein said request generating element is local to a browser associated with said client.
- 4. (original) A method as in claim 3, wherein said request-generating element redirects said request to locations within said network wherein said static information is independently maintained.
- 5. (original) A method as in claim 1, wherein said step of identifying is performed using a software element that is logically local to the original provider of said information.
- 6. (original) A method as in claim 1, wherein said step of caching also includes caching a tag, wherein said tag provides information concerning a version associated with said static portion.

- (original) A method as in claim 1, also including:
 comparing a version of said static information to other versions of said static information.
- 8. (original) A method as in claim 1, wherein said request is performed by a browser associated with said client.
- (original) A method as in claim 1, also including:
 integrating said static portion and said dynamic portion.
- 10. (original) A method as in claim 9, wherein said step of integrating is performed by a request-generating element coupled to a browser associated with said client.
- 11. (original) A method as in claim 9, wherein said step of integrating is performed using a software element that is logically local to said memory.
- 12. (original) An apparatus, including:
 - a client device, including a means for generating a request for information from a network server;
 - a proxy server, wherein said proxy server includes a computer program that responds to said requests by obtaining said information, identifying a static portion and a dynamic portion of said information; identifying different versions of said information, and differentially caching said static portion in a location that is logically local to said client device;
 - a network server, including said information; and a communication network.

- 13. (original) An apparatus as in claim 12, wherein said client device includes a means for redirecting said request to said proxy server.
- 14. (original) An apparatus as in claim 13, wherein said means for redirecting said request is coupled to a browser.
- 15. (original) An apparatus as in claim 12, wherein said client device includes a means for integrating said static portion and said dynamic portion of said information.
- 16. (original) An apparatus as in claim 12, wherein said proxy server includes a means for integrating said static portion and said dynamic portion.
- 17. (original) An apparatus as in claim 12, including a memory where said static information is independently cached.
- 18. (original) An apparatus in claim 12, wherein said request includes a request for a web page, a request for information from a database, a request for streaming media or a request for email.
- 19. (original) An apparatus as in claim 12, wherein said proxy server is logically local to the original provider of said information.
- 20. (original) An apparatus as in claim 12, including a computer program for generating a tag, wherein said tag provides information concerning a version associated with said static portion.
- 21. (Currently Amended) A memory storing information, including instructions executable by a processor, said instructions comprising:

 recognizing a request for information to a server;

redirecting said request to a proxy server;
receiving a static portion of said information from a <u>cache in the</u> said proxy server;

receiving a dynamic portion of said information from said server; integrating said static portion and said dynamic portion; and presenting said information to a user.

- 22. (original) A memory as in claim 21, wherein said memory is logically local to a client side browser.
- 23. (original) A memory as in claim 21, wherein said memory is logically local to said proxy server.
- 24. (original) A memory as in claim 21, wherein said server is included in a content delivery network.
- 25. (Currently Amended) A <u>cache</u> memory storing information, including instructions executable by a processor, said instructions comprising: receiving a request for information from a client; redirecting said request to a server;

receiving said information from said server, wherein said information is responsive to said request;

identifying a static portion of said information; and comparing said static portion to other information in the cache said memory; and

sending the most recent static portion of said information to said client.

26. (original) A memory as in claim 25, wherein said memory is logically local to a proxy server.

- 27. (Currently Amended) A memory as in claim 25, also including an instruction for caching said static portion in the a memory.
- 28. (Currently Amended) A memory as in claim 25, also including instructions for: determining if said client can <u>a</u> perform steps of integrating said static portion <u>with a and said</u> dynamic portion.
- 29. (Currently Amended) A memory as in claim 28, including an instruction for: integrating said static portion and said dynamic portion to form an integrated portion; and sending said integrated portion to said client.